



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

EQUINE SCIENCES INSTRUCTOR

Job Number: 20000556

Job Code: 15380V000101

Job Group: 1500 - PARKS AND RECREATION

Job Established: 06/16/1990

Job Revised: 02/24/2006

Grade: 13 Salary (MIN - MID):

\$16,432-\$21,875 - Hourly

\$2,670.20-\$3,554.70 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary

\$2,848.22-\$3,791.68 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary

Special Entrance Rate:

NONE

NONE

NONE

PROBATIONARY PERIOD:

This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months. For additional information refer to: <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/101/001/325.htm>.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB: *Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Instructs students in the subjects of equine anatomy, physiology, nutrition, brood-mare management and other related subjects; and performs other duties as required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION:

Graduate of a college or university with a bachelor's degree in animal or equine science, agriculture or a related field.

EXPERIENCE:

Must have three years of professional experience working with horses on breeding farms, race tracks, or in "A" or "B" rated show horse stables OR a bachelor's degree supplemented by five years of the above professional experience.

Substitute EDUCATION for EXPERIENCE:

NONE

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NONE

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):

NONE

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION: *Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Provides classroom and field instruction in a variety of equine related topics. Plans lessons and schedules classes. Participates in curriculum development and textbook selection. Makes public presentations in recruiting new students. Interviews prospective students. Evaluates students' progress and assists in job placement of graduates. Responsible for the maintenance of student records. Provides hands-on instruction in brood-mare management and other related topics.

UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS: *Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.*

Incumbents working in this job title may be required to work out-of-doors in all types of weather and to work extended hours especially during the foaling season. Persons in this job title work directly with horses as well as with a variety of farm equipment and are exposed to the associated hazards.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

Upon appointment, employees in this class may be required to maintain a valid driver's license and required to drive a licensed vehicle. This status may be necessary for the length of time in this class. If this is necessary it will be listed in the specific position description for that position. Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F.R.115.17 and 115.317.

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